

## Message Text

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R 220139Z JAN 77  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO  
INFO AMEMBASSY JIDDA  
AMEMBASSY KUWAIT  
AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ETEL, EG

SUBJECT: ARAB BOYCOTT AND ATU

REF: A) JIDDA 8378; B) CAIRO 15303; C) CAIRO 15545

RCA HAS RECENT REPORT THAT ARAB LEAQUE BOYCOTT OFFICE HAS  
MADE RECOMMENDATION TO ARAB TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION THAT  
IT ENDORSE THE EXEMPTION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES  
FROM THE BOYCOTT, AND THAT THIS IS BEING CONSIDERED BY ATU  
AT MEETING PRESENTLY BEING HELD IN CAIRO. DEPARTMENT WOULD  
APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION EMBASSY OBTAINS ON WHETHER  
SUBJECT IS DISCUSSED AT ATU MEETING. EMBASSY SHOULD NOT  
ATTEMPT TO STIMULATE DISCUSSION OF ISSUE AT ATU MEETING BUT  
ONLY REPORT ANY INFORMATION THAT MAY COME TO ITS ATTENTION.  
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## Message Attributes

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